

Appl. No. 10/004,092  
Response to Final Office Action  
Reply to Office Action of Dec. 14, 2004



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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/004,092  
Applicant(s) : Robert Gropp  
Filed : October 23, 2001  
Title: Apparatus For Treating Objects  
  
TC/A.U. : 1743  
Examiner : Jyoti Nagpaul  
  
Docket No. : 37105.0026

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

This Response is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed December 14, 2004.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.